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## COMMITTEE REPORT

YES:	0
NO:	0

### MR. SPEAKER:

*Your Committee on Local Government, to which was referred House Bill 1568, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:*

- 1       Page 1, line 3, after "taxpayers" insert "**or one (1) taxpayer that**
- 2       **owns property that represents at least ten percent (10%) of the**
- 3       **taxable assessed valuation in the political subdivision**".
- 4       Page 2, line 9, after "petition" insert "**, or to the taxpayer that owns**
- 5       **property that represents at least ten percent (10%) of the taxable**
- 6       **assessed valuation in the political subdivision, in the case of an**
- 7       **appeal initiated by that taxpayer,**".
- 8       Page 2, line 11, delete "and".
- 9       Page 2, between lines 11 and 12, begin a new line block indented
- 10      and insert:
- 11      "**(2) conduct a hearing on the objection; and**".
- 12      Page 2, line 12, delete "(2)" and insert "(3)".
- 13      Page 2, line 18, beginning with "to", begin a new line double block
- 14      indented.
- 15      Page 2, line 19, after "petition" delete "." and insert "**, or to the**

1 taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten percent  
 2 (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the political subdivision,  
 3 in the case of an appeal initiated by that taxpayer."

4 Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25, begin a new paragraph and insert:

5 "(c) The department of local government finance shall:

6 (1) provide written notice to:

7 (A) the first ten (10) taxpayers whose names appear on the  
 8 petition; or

9 (B) the taxpayer that owns property that represents at least  
 10 ten percent (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the  
 11 political subdivision, in the case of an appeal initiated by  
 12 that taxpayer; and

13 (2) publish notice of the hearing;

14 at least five (5) days before the date of the hearing."

15 Page 4, line 1, strike "and".

16 Page 4, line 3, after "subdivision "delete "." and insert ";".

17 Page 4, between lines 3 and 4, begin a new line block indented and  
 18 insert:

19 "(3) the first ten (10) taxpayers whose names appear on a  
 20 petition filed under section 13 of this chapter; and

21 (4) a taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten  
 22 percent (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the political  
 23 subdivision."

24 Page 4, between lines 13 and 14, begin a new line block indented  
 25 and insert:

1           **"(4) A taxpayer that owns property that represents at least ten**  
2           **percent (10%) of the taxable assessed valuation in the political**  
3           **subdivision."**

(Reference is to HB 1568 as introduced.)

**and when so amended that said bill do pass.**

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Representative Saunders